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FRD - IPART - CHAIRMAN / BOARD.

RE - COUNCIL REMOVALS. (ANALYSEMENTS).

WE HAVE QUERIED THE VALIDITY AND ACTIONS OF COUNCILS FOR 40 YEARS, HERE AND ELSEWHERE. THE STATE GOVT IS LATE TO THE GAME. MRS THATCHER HAD THE RIGHT RECIPE; BRING THEM TO THE BASICS AND GET THEM UNDER CONTROL / REVIEW. OFF OUR BACKS!

IN AUSTRALIA WE HAVE CONSTANTLY BEEN TOLD BY ALL OF THE INSTITUTIONS THAT SHOULD HAVE CONTROL OF COUNCILS, THAT, IN FACT, NO-ONE HAS ANY CONTROL OVER THEM. THIS IS NOT DEMOCRACY, IT'S PLAYGROUND BEHAVIOUR, IT'S CRIMINAL. (PITWATER)

NOTE, IN THE 20 YRS WE HAVE BEEN HERE THE COUNCIL HAVE NEVER SENT OUT VOTING ENVELOPES TO US, SO WE CANNOT VOTE THEM OUT. THEY CAN'T EVEN MANAGE BASIC ADMINISTRATION UNLESS OF COURSE YOU ARE A MATE, SUPPLIER AND MEMBER OF ONE OF THE RELIGIONS, BUSINESS, CLUB OR SOCIAL CLUBS AND LOBBY GROUPS THAT BEING RUN THE COUNCIL AND BENEFIT FROM IT'S "LARGESSE". THE EXAMPLES ARE CHURCH AND INSTITUTIONS; WE CAN GIVE THEM TO YOU.

WE ENCLOSE ANOTHER RECENT EXAMPLE OF COUNCIL NEGLIGENCE AND PURE FAVORITISM; "CAN I LEAVE BATS ALONE."

IT MAY AT FIRST APPEAR "INNOCENT", ALTHOUGH QUESTIONABLE. LET'S PUT IT IN PERSPECTIVE.

WHEN WE OR ANY OF THE 2000 OTHERS ON THIS ISLAND AND THE WESTERN FORESHORE SAY ANYTHING ABOUT THE GROSSLY DISCRIMINATORY ACTIONS OF THE COUNCIL RE - PLANNING, WATER, SEWER ETC ETC WE ARE TOLD TO SHUT UP, GO AWAY - "YOU CHOSE TO LIVE THERE, IT'S YOUR FRUIT." QUOTE.

ONCE WE SHOW THIS LIGHT ON THE ACTIONS OF THE COUNCIL IN THIS CASE, "THE KIMER BATS", WE SEE HOW THEY ACT TOWARDS THE WELL HEAVED RESIDENTS OF AVAION, WHO HAVE EVERYTHING THAT WE DO NOT, DESPITE BEING ONLY TWO MILES AWAY, IF THAT; TOTALLY DIFFERENT. HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS SPENT ON ONGOING EFFORTS,

* USING PLANNING SYSTEM TO GENERATE REVENUE, NOT CONSERVE, PRESERVE + RETURN.

CONTRARY TO EXPERT ADVICE AND AGAINST A VULNERABLE SPECIES, FOR A HANDFUL OF HOMES OCCUPIED BY THOSE WHO PURPORT TO LOVE THEIR 'AUSSIE ICONS'.

BEHARRER IS IN FACT ONE OF THOSE AT THE COUNCIL WHO BELIEVES THAT IF WE LIVE ON THIS ISLAND WE MUST FOREVER "SUFFER THE CONSEQUENCES," DESPITE THE FACT THAT IT IS PITWATER COUNCIL WHO HAS PROMOTED AND ENCOURAGED DEVELOPMENT HERE FOR 20 YEARS, WITHOUT THE NECESSARY REQUIRED SUPPORT INFRASTRUCTURE, THEREBY RUINING THIS ISLAND AND PITWATER!.. WHY - FOR MONEY OF COURSE. A CRIMINAL ACT? *

IF THIS ATTITUDE HAS VALIDITY, WHEN WILL ^{WE} BE RETURNING SYDNEY TO THE STATUS OF THE 1770'S, AND EVERYWHERE ELSE WITH IT?.. PITWATER COUNCIL MUST BE HELD TO ACCOUNT, BY ABOLITION!.. FURTHER TO THIS, PLEASE ALSO NOTE THAT NO FORMAL VOTE OF RESIDENTS HAS TAKEN PLACE UNDER PROPERLY SUPERVISED AND SCOUTINIZED CONTROLS AND THAT THE COUNCIL HAVE NO PROOF OF THE NUMBERS THAT THEY ARE QUOTING, SUPPOSEDLY SUPPORTING THEM. SMOKE AND MIRRORS.

THIS IS JUST A RE-RUN OF THE GREINER/PEACOCKE PRANK 21 YEARS AGO. "IF YOU DON'T VOTE, YOU'RE NOT BOTHERED, SO YOU DON'T COUNT." IN THAT WAY A 20% MINORITY WERE ALLOWED TO HAVE THEIR WAY, 80% HAD NO VOICE. PRANK, POLITICAL CRIME.

WE SHOULD CONSIDER THE WORDS OF SHAWEN IN THE 1940'S - "POLITICAL LANGUAGE IS DESIGNED TO MAKE LIES SOUND TRUTHFUL AND MURDER RESPECTABLE, AND TO GIVE AN APPEARANCE OF SOLIDITY TO PURE MUD."

WE WOULD ADD "AND THEY GET PAID A FORTUNE FOR IT AS WELL, OFF THE BACKS OF THOSE WHO ACTUALLY WORK FOR A LIVING!.."

THIS, AND ALL COUNCILS ARE POLITICAL, AND THAT IS THE PROBLEM. THERE SHOULD BE NO POLITICS, ^{WE'RE} ~~BEING~~ EFFICIENT MANAGEMENT OF THE PREVIOUSLY DEFINED BASIC SERVICES AT THE LOWEST COST

ACHIEVABLE. WE ARE DEVELOPED, MAINTAINING, NOT DEVELOPING.

INSTEAD THEY ARE AN EMPLOYMENT HUB FOR THOSE WHO CAN'T HACK IT ANYMORE OR CAN'T BE BOTHERED, PROTECTED BY UNIONS AND UNPUNISHABLE BY STATE OR FEDERAL GOV'TS.

AT THIS POINT WE NEED TO LOOK AT COOMA MONARCH STATE COUNCIL AS WELL, IN THIS CONTEXT OF NON-VIABILITY, JOBS FOR THE BOYS ETC. WE SPEND 6 MONTHS OF THE YEAR HERE ON THIS ISLAND, AND 6 MONTHS IN THE "WILD COUNTRY", SNOW LINE ALTITUDE IN THE GORGEE COUNTRY NW OF COOMA, NSW. WHY?

WE ARE, AT OUR COST, FROM A 60 YEAR OLD SACK, CARING FOR AND RE-HABITUATING 150 ACRES OF FOREST AND "GRASSLAND" DEGRADED BY PAST FARMING. NO MACHINES, BY HAND.

THERE IS NO RUNNING WATER, GAS, PHONE, POWER ETC. WE PAY FOR AND PROVIDE EVERYTHING AND HAVE NO PUBLIC ROAD FRONTAGE, ONLY A PRIVATE RIGHT OF WAY. (AND ONLY).

THE COUNCIL CHARGE \$800 P.A. IN RATES FOR THIS, THE SAME VOUCHER AS IN SYDNEY, IN A 2105 METRO POST CODE, THE HIGHEST RATED AREA, RATE ONE, IN SYDNEY. (NOTA BENE - PUTWATER IN 2014 WAS THE SECOND HIGHEST RATED AREA IN THE SYDNEY METRO ZONE!)

HOW CAN THIS BE? HOW INDEED, AS WE DON'T USE ANY COUNCIL SERVICES EXCEPT THE DUST BORDS, AND IF WE GO TO COOMA EVERYTHING THAT WE DO IS ON PRIVATE LAND? FURTHER, WE ARE DOING THE LANDSCAPE FOR NOTHING! HELPING THE COUNTRY, NOT TAKING.

CMSC HAS AN AREA OF 5000 KM. POPULATION 10,000 - 6000 LIVE IN COOMA! SO, IN THE 99% OF THE AREA OUTSIDE COOMA THE AVERAGE IS 1 PERSON PER K²! HARDLY ANY OF THE 4000 LIKE US WHO ARE BUREAU AND BUSHMORE HAVE, USE OR CAN USE ANY COUNCIL SERVICES AT ALL. WE ARE ALL SELF-SUFFICIENT AND IMPOSE NO COSTS ON THE COUNCIL - BUT WE ALL GET SUBSIDISED!

WHY? TOO MUCH MONEY SPENT ON 9 COUNCILMORS, YES, NINE! NINE COUNCILMORS, BUT NO ALLOCATED WARDENS, DUTIES OR RESP -

* SECOND INCOMES FOR LOCAL FARMING INTERESTS?

ONSHORING... LOTS OF STAFF* AND COSTS SUCH AS PAYING FOR THE CODMA STOCKYARD OUT OF PUBLIC RATES - WHY?

TO SUBSIDIZE THE FARMERS WHO PREDOMINATE, OF COURSE.

INEFFICIENT, OVERPRICED, OVER-MANNED IS THE ANSWER, JUST THE SAME AS PUTWATER. POLITICIZED, MISSED AND RUINED BY CLICHES AND SELF-INTEREST. SAME OLD, SAME OLD.

WHEN THINGS GET TO THIS STATE OF AFFAIRS SOMETHING HAS TO BE DONE TO STOP THIS UNFAIR, RIDICULOUS OVER-CHARGING FOR THINGS THAT CANNOT BE USED AND ARE NOT REQUIRED.

THE HOW IS TO SACK COUNCIL AND FORM, AS PROPOSED, LARGER UNITARY BODIES THAT HAVE A PROPER INCOME BASE AND WHICH CAN EMPLOY ECONOMIES OF SCALE. DO THIS AND REMOVE THE POLITICS AND POLITICIANS - BY LAW, AND THINGS MIGHT WORK.

WE NEED "AREA REPRESENTATIVES" NOT POLITICAL COUNCILLORS.

CMSA IS PARTICULARLY IN NEED, 10,000 PEOPLE - NINE COUNCILLORS, RIDICULOUS. HOW MUCH DOES THE GENERAL MANAGER GET?

IT'S A REMOTE AREA, LOW POPULATION, LOW INCOME BASE AND NEEDS TO BE JOINED PROBABLY INTO A SNOWY MOUNTAINS REGIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT OF STATE. OTHERWISE FOR US TOO THE 'RATES' ARE IN FACT JUST A LAND TAX, WHICH IS ILLEGAL UNDER THE CONSTITUTION, AND THEREFORE DOES NOT HAVE TO BE PAID.

LIKEWISE, PUTWATER COUNCIL IS RELATIVELY THE SAME, BUT OF COURSE HAS A HIGH INCOME BASE, SMALL AREA AND ONLY 60,000 PEOPLE - IT'S COMPACT AND SMALL; HOW DO THEY MANAGE TO DO SUCH A BAD JOB AND SPEND ALL THAT MONEY? TOO MANY HANDS OUT, COSTS TOO HIGH FOR STAFF ETC. OVERMANNED AND OF COURSE NOT DOING THE CORE JOBS BUT 'EXPANDING' INTO EVERY NOOK AND CRANNY OF LIFE IN GENERAL. THE WEBSITE SAYS IT ALL, AND CANNOT EVEN LIST THE COUNCILLORS - JUST LIKE CMSA.

WE NOW HAVE THE FORTHWORTH HEADINGS "my council", "my community", "my property", "my environment", "my lifestyle"